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COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION, mailed May 1, 2001, enclosed is the Notice to File Missing Parts, the Declaration For Patent Application And Power of Attorney, an Assignment, and a check for \$713.00 to complete the basic filing fee and additional claim fees, and the surcharge. Also included in the check is the \$40.00 fee for recordal of the assignment and \$195.00 to cover the cost of a two-month extension of time in the term set by the Notice to file the missing parts.

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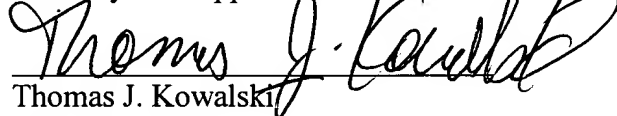
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of the period for response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application, mailed May 1, 2001, i.e., up to and including September 1, 2001.

It is hereby stated that the applicants qualify for small entity status.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee for consideration, entry and recordal of the Declaration and Assignment or credit any overpayment therein to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Respectfully submitted,

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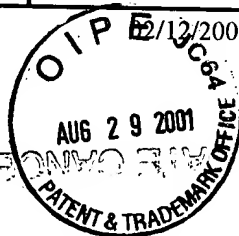


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$116.
 - \$36 for 2 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 956.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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